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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W., TW-A325
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: **EX PARTE**
IB Docket No. 99-81; ET docket No. 95-18

Dear Ms. Salas:

On December 19, 2001, on behalf of ICO Global Communications (Holdings) Ltd. ("ICO"), Gerry Salemmme and the undersigned met with Peter Tenhula, senior legal advisor to Chairman Michael Powell. During the course of the meeting, ICO briefed Mr. Tenhula on the existing record in the above-captioned proceeding, focusing on interference issues raised by commenters, "gating" factors for the proposed ancillary terrestrial component for mobile satellite service providers ("MSS") and the circumstances under which 2 GHz MSS providers can aggregate spectrum. ICO also provided Mr. Tenhula with a copy of the attached presentation.

In accordance with Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's rules, I am submitting an electronic copy of this letter. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Cheryl A. Tritt

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Counsel to ICO Global Communications (Holdings) Ltd.

cc: Peter Tenhula